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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

Collectors Universe, Inc., a Delaware corporation,

CASE NO. C 10 0260 MEJ

Plaintiff,

**CASE MANAGEMENT  
STATEMENT OF PLAINTIFF  
COLLECTORS UNIVERSE, INC.**

vs.

Roberto Rodriguez, an individual, John Barnardi;  
Does 1-10, individuals and/or entities whose  
identities are currently unknown,

**Conference Date: July 12, 2012  
Time: 10:00 a.m.  
Courtroom: B  
Trial Date: None**

Defendants.

In the case management conference statement plaintiff Collectors Universe, Inc. submitted in connection with the last (April 12, 2012) scheduled conference, we reported that the primary defendant in the case, Roberto Rodriguez, had not appeared at a state court preliminary hearing relating to criminal proceedings instituted against him. We proposed that the Court order another 90 day continuance as efforts to locate and bring Mr. Rodriguez to trial continued.

1 The Alameda County District Attorney recently informed us that Mr. Rodriguez had been  
2 located, had appeared before the state criminal court and that, as a result, criminal proceedings had  
3 been largely concluded.

4 With fifth amendment concerns apparently no longer an issue, and it apparently also being  
5 possible for us to serve Mr. Rodriguez with discovery and other case documents. it appears that this  
6 action now will be able to proceed. The clerk entered Mr. Rodriguez's default on April 16, 2010  
7 (case doc. # 10), but discovery will be necessary concerning the identity of other potential  
8 defendants, as well as concerning damages and injunction issues.

9 We therefore request that the Court re-instate its Order Setting Initial Case Management  
10 Conference and ADR Deadlines (case doc. #2, filed 01/20/10, copy attached hereto), and order  
11 that all related deadlines be adjusted accordingly, using July 12, 2012 as the basis for calculation  
12 instead of the 1/20/10 "Complaint filed" date shown in that 1/20/10 Order. The Court also should  
13 set another case management conference date.

14 We will appear at the July 12, 2012 unless informed that no appearance will be necessary.

15 Date: July 5, 2012

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19 Attorneys for Plaintiff Collectors Universe, Inc.

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21 The parties' request is GRANTED. The Case Management Conference is continued to  
22 October 18, 2012, at 10:00 a.m. in Courtroom B. All case management and ADR deadlines  
23 are adjusted accordingly.

24 Dated: July 6, 2012

